

## Memorandum

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**TO:** WIC Regional Directors

WIC Local Agency Directors

**FROM:** Linda Brumble, Unit Manager

Nutrition Education/Clinic Services Unit

**Nutrition Services Section** 

**DATE:** February 28, 2014

**SUBJECT:** Hot Topic Training for WIC Registered Dietitians – *The Transfer of Medications* 

in Human Milk

Please join the upcoming Hot Topic Training, *The Transfer of Medications into Human Milk* to learn about the safety of medication while breastfeeding. This training is presented by Marguerite Kelly and will include a discussion about the factors that influence medication transfer into breastmilk, how to identify potential risks of medications while breastfeeding, substances of concern, and tips for counseling the breastfeeding woman. You will leave with the knowledge and resources to answer common breastfeeding concerns.

## Registered Dietitians and Dietetic Technicians who attend will be eligible for one CEU.

Please note though that to receive this credit the attendee's name and local agency number must be submitted at the beginning of the session. The presentation will be repeated twice to accommodate different schedules.

## **Session Dates and Times:**

Tuesday, March 18, 2014, 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. CST Monday, March 24, 2014, 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. CST

## **Instructions for logging on:**

- 1. You will need a telephone and internet access.
- 2. Open your internet browser. Go to <a href="https://stateoftx-dshs.centurylinkccc.com/CenturylinkWeb/RDHotTopic">https://stateoftx-dshs.centurylinkccc.com/CenturylinkWeb/RDHotTopic</a>
- 3. Select the "Guest" tab.
- 4. Enter your name and email address, then select "Join Meeting."
- 5. To join by phone/audio, type your phone number and select "Let the Meeting Call Me." The program will automatically dial your phone.

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- 6. You may also dial toll free 1-877-820-7831. Enter participant passcode 5123414512# when prompted (including the # sign that follows the numbers).
- 7. For help logging in, contact CenturyLink Customer Support at 1-800-485-0844.

If you have questions or require additional information, please contact Leona Duong, RD, LD, at <u>leona.duong@dshs.state.tx.us</u>, or at (512) 341-4520, or Kaylene Thompson, RD, LD, at <u>kaylene.thompson@dshs.state.tx.us</u>, or at (512) 341-4512.